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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed November 28, 2007, the Applicants respectfully request favorable reconsideration of the above-identified patent application in view of the following remarks, which are believed to place the above-identified patent application in condition for allowance or in better form for consideration on appeal.